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ANTIGUA, June 26.

Extract of a Letter from Gibraltar, dated May 11th, 1756.

"ON the 29th of April we were informed by our men of war that escaped from Port Mahon, that the French from Toulon had attacked that island with 11 sail of the line and 6 frigates with transports, amounting in the whole to 140 sail, and had landed their forces the 18th of April, consisting of 18 or 20,000 men.—We have at Mahon but 4 regiments of foot: Capt. Scroope reinforced the garison with himself and 100 of his seamen out of the Dolphin man of war, and a few marines that were on board the ships.—Upon the landing of the French, our forces retired to the castle, the only place of strength in the island, since which we have had no further account; but the opinion of the best judges is, that the castle will be obliged to surrender, we being too weakly mann'd to withstand so powerful a number.—On the 2d instant, arrived here admiral Byng and admiral West, with 10 ships of the line, and a regiment of foot on board for Mahon: From this garison embark'd on board them, 249 soldiers.—The two admirals, with their squadron, sail'd from this for Mahon the 5th instant, joined by those ships that are on this station, 6 in number, viz. 3 of the line, one 40, and 2 20-gun ships.—It's thought, as the French have had possession of the island so long, they have fortified themselves in such a manner, that it will be impossible for us to succour the castle."

An exact Account of the Ships that sail'd from Gibraltar the 8th of May, under Adm. Byng, to the Assistance of Port-Mahon.

Ships.	*Guns.*	*Men.*	*Commanders.*
Ramillies	90	780	Admiral Byng, capt. Gardiner.
Buckingham	68	535	Adm. West. Everet
Lancaster	76	520	Hon. G. Edgecumbe.
Culloden	74	600	Ward,
Trident	64	500	Durrel,
Revenge	64	480	Cornwall
Intrepide	64	400	Young
Captain	64	480	Catford
Prin. Louisa	64	500	Hoel
Defiance	60	400	Andrews
Kingston	60	400	Parry
Deptford	50	380	Amhurst
Portland	50	300	Baird
		Frigates.	
Chesterfield	40		Lloyd
Phœnix	20		Harvey *(to repeat signals)*
Experiment	20		Gilcrist
Dolphin	20		Scroop
Fortune sloop			Mapleston.

With between 1000 and 1100 Soldiers on board the Fleet.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST-imported in the *Concord*, Capt. *Simondson*, from the *Windward* and *Grain* Coast, a Cargo of fine likely young

NEGROES,

To be sold upon very easy Terms, on *Wednesday* the 4th Day of *August* next by *AUSTIN & LAURENS.*

A Considerable number of books (in several languages) on various subjects, viz. divinity, law, physic, grammar, rhetoric, poetry, history and mathematics, most of them being the best editions and neatly bound. TO BE SOLD very reasonably, at the desire of the owner retiring in a neighbouring province, by *William Henderson.*

N B *Those who intend to purchase may come or send to the* Orange Garden, *from 12 to 2, or after 5 o clock in the afternoon.*

TO BE LETT cheap,

A Comodious brick house in *Cotton* square, having 6 fire rooms, a chair house, stable, fowl house, wood house, pantry and other conveniences: For particulars inquire of

Daniel Crawford.

Who has FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS to let at interest, on personal security; which the Borrower may keep as long as he pleases, provided the Interest be punctually paid and the securities be sufficient.

IMPORTED in the last Vessels from *New York* and *Madera*, *Europe* flour, a parcel of choice rum and a few pipes of *Madera* wine of the very best quality: To be sold by

Robert Pierce Henderson.

TAKEN up in *Cooper*-River, a Canow about 21 feet long and 3 feet 4 inches wide, her gunnels and inside painted red, with a streke of blue under, an iron hoop nailed over her stern, and has in her a cypress oar branded on the blade with two diamonds in one. Any person claiming the said canow, may have her again by applying to Mr. *William Pinckney*, in *Charles Town*, paying for this advertisement, and proving their property.

JOHN KEINERT, of the Fork above *Saxe Gotha* township, produceth a stray bay horse, branded on the mounting shoulder H with an / through the middle of it, on the mounting buttock 7 2, and on the off buttock IH. *Jacob Lever* of the said fork, advertiseth a brown steer, 2 years old, with a bell on his neck, marked on the left ear with a slit and upper keel, a nip in the right ear, and branded ↄ. The owners may apply to

Stephen Crell, T. M.

As the French expedition againſt Minorca at preſent engages the attention of the public, a deſcription of the iſland and fortifications of Mahon, 'tis preſumed may not be unacceptable to our readers.

THIS iſland lies in the Mediterranean ſea, about 200 miles directly South from Montpellier, upon the ſouthern coaſt of France, and about 170 miles directly Eaſt from Villa Real, upon the Eaſtern coaſt of Spain; and is about 33 miles long from ſouth-eaſt to north-weſt, and about 10 or 12 miles broad in moſt places. It is one of thoſe iſlands by the ancients called Beleares, on account of the dexterity of the inhabitants in the uſe of the ſling, for which, as well as their courage, they were famous and of great ſervice in the Carthaginian armies againſt the Romans. From whence they originally came is quite uncertain, for their going naked, from whence the Grecians call theſe iſlands Gymnaſia, ſeems to evince, that they do not come from any part of Aſia; but hiſtory informs us, that they have been ſucceſſively conquered and ſubdued, firſt by the Carthaginians, ſecondly by the Romans, thirdly by the Goths and Vandals, fourthly by the Maurs, fifthly by the Spaniards, and ſixthly by us, under the conduct of the brave general, afterward, earl of Stanhope, who landed there, September 14, 1708, N. S. and tho' he had not above 2,000 effective men under his command, yet, with the aſſiſtance of our ſquadron under Sir Edward Whitaker, he reduced the whole iſland by the end, or very ſoon after the end of that month, tho' there was a gariſon of 1000 men in fort St. Philip, well provided with artillery, ammunition, and every thing neceſſary for a vigorous defence; and by the treaty of Utrecht we got the property and dominion of this iſland confirmed to us by Spain.

The ermino or diſtrict of Mahon, contains about 13,000 inhabitants, and its chief town is Mahon, now the metropolis of the iſland, ſituated at the head of that bay which forms the harbour, one of the beſt in the world; at the narrow mouth of which lies St. Philip's fort, on the ſouth ſide, and on the north ſide another fort was intended to have been erected at Cape de la Mola, which might have been rendered almoſt impregnable, as the ſea might have been brought quite round it; but this project has never been carried into execution.

St. Philip's caſtle, ſituate at the entrance of Mahon harbour, to which it is the key, and the principal fortification on the iſland, is ſeated on a neck of land between Mahon harbour and St. Stephen's cove; and it's numerous outworks extend themſelves to the ſhore on both ſides. The body of the place conſiſts of 4 baſtions, and as many curtains, ſurrounded with a deep ditch, hewn out of the ſolid rock, which furniſhed freeſtone for the wall. The area is bounded on every ſide with buildings, conſiſting of the governor's houſe, a chapel, guard-room, barracks, &c. In the center of the ſquare is a pump, to ſupply the troops with rain water from a ciſtern; and the whole ſquare is well paved, and kept very clean.

The whole body of the place is undermined, and very ſerviceable. Subterraneous works are contrived in the rock, and communicate one with another, wherever it is neceſſary. Before the entrance of the caſtle is a horn-work, with other out works, to this and the reſt of the fronts:—There is a great number of large guns mounted towards the entrance of the harbour, beſides thoſe that point to the land; which would require the ſervice of a vaſt many artillery people on occaſion; as indeed the various works demand a very conſiderable gariſon to diſpute them with an enemy.

As to the reſiſtance it is capable of in caſe of deſcent, we have now in the iſland 5 old regiments of foot, as alſo a company of the royal regiment of artillery; ſo that our whole force may be about 2,400 effective men; of theſe, only one third can be put upon duty at once; and we have a vaſt extent of works for 800 men to defend; and an allowance muſt be made for the detachments to be drawn from theſe, for ſerving the platforms, repairing the damage done by the enemy, and other emergencies; beſides a conſiderable daily abatement to be expected by the ſick, killed and wounded, not to ſay deſerters.

Portſmouth, May 10. The Prince George is ordered to the Mediterranean without docking. The Naſſau is ſailed to Spithead to go with her. And yeſterday orders arrived for the Tilbury to clean, and then proceed with the above ſhips, together with the Hampton-Court, to reinforce admiral Byng.

Portſmouth, May 12. Since my laſt the Iſis is ordered to ſail for the Mediterranean, with an expreſs to admiral Byng, and if the wind permits, ſhe is to ſail this afternoon.

The continued account in ſome of the papers, of commodore Keppel's having ſailed for the Mediterranean, is entirely groundleſs, he having been only a ſhort cruize in the bay of Biſcay with admiral Hawke.

London, May 13. This day the right hon. the earl of Loudon, and ſeveral officers, ſet out for Portſmouth, in order to embark for America.

The militia forces propoſed to be eſtabliſhed in the ſeveral counties of England, will amount to 62,680 men.

Margate, May 13. Two men of war with 45 tranſports, having 8000 Heſſian foot and 900 horſe on board, anchored in our road cloſe in yeſterday. Many of the officers are aſhore.

Goſport, May 14. On wedneſday arrived at Spithead, the Saltaſh ſloop of war with an expreſs from admiral Byng.

Dublin, May 22. *Extract of a letter from London.* "We are all here in the utmoſt perplexity, occaſioned by a report, that a certain noble perſonage has held private correſpondence with our perfidious enemies. To this 'tis imputed, that the French fleet have arrived at their place of deſtination without the interruption of our ſquadron, which a noble lord, at the head of a certain board, has declared was ready for ſailing ſeveral days before any orders were iſſued for that purpoſe."

Halifax, in *Nova-Scotia, May* 8. The ſkipper of a fiſhing ſchooner who arrived here laſt wedneſday from the banks informs, that there are now upwards of 30 ſail of French ſhips fiſhing on the Grand bank.

May

May 25. Sunday laſt a fiſhing ſchooner arrived here, the ſkipper of which informs, that on thurſday the 22d of April, being on the Grand bank of Newfoundland, he fell in with a French 36 gun ſhip (two other large ſhips being then in ſight) the maſter of which ordered him on board, when he aſked him ſundry queſtions relative to the preſent ſtate of affairs, of which he could inform him nothing: He aſked the Frenchman where they were bound, and what was their deſign, who informed him they were bound to St. John's with 300 ſoldiers, where they intended to land them.

CHARLES-TOWN, July 29.

Tho' Major *Lewis* and Capt. *Overton*, (lately arrived in the *Cherokee* Country, with a Party of 100 *Men*, from *Virginia*), not finding the Fort begun, which, 'tis ſuppoſed, they came to aſſiſt us in building, are erecting one ſomewhere about *Chotte* or *Toga*; we are aſſured, that the Fort projected by this Government will be carried on with all poſſible Diſpatch, all the neceſſary previous Steps being already taken; whereby, we make no doubt, the Attachment of the *Cherokee Indians* to the *Britiſh* Intereſt will be effectually ſecured, notwithſtanding the numberleſs Attempts and Artifices of the *French* for ſome Years paſt to ſeduce them.

By Capt. *Jones*, we have an Account of the *Elandford* man of war's having taken a *French* Ship from *Bourdeaux* for *Martinico*, with 1000 Barrels of Flour and 200 Hogſheads of Claret, *&c* on board, and carried her into *Antigua*: And a Report, which came from *St Euſtatia*, that Commodore *Frankland* had chaſed a *French* 74 Gun Ship into *Martinico*

Yeſterday His Majeſty's Ship *Winchelſea*, commanded by Capt *Hale*, fell down to *Rebellion Road*: And this Day ſhe ſail'd on a Cruize, and to convoy ſome outward bound Veſſels off the Coaſt.

Since our laſt, the *Acadians* that were in this Town have been diſtributed, as directed by the late Act of Aſſembly.

Yeſterday 22 Headmen and Warriors of the *Cherokee* Nation of *Indians* arrived in Town, who, notwithſtanding the exceſſive hot travelling at this Seaſon, are come purpoſely on a Viſit of Congratulation to His Excellency our *New* Governor; and, we hear, they have met with ſuch a Reception as muſt have a good Effect on that People in general. We hear alſo, that a great Body of them purpoſe coming down on the ſame Occaſion, towards the Fall.

MARINE LIST.

Sail'd ſince our laſt. July 25*th*, The Benjamin, Young, for Bermuda; and the Jennings, Baſſett, for Antigua. *July* 26*th*, The New-Bleſſing, Jackſon, for London. *July* 27*th*, The Endeavour, Loockerman, for Georgia. *July* 28*th*, The Friendſhip, Ball, for London; the London, Young, for Liſbon; and the Endeavour, Robins, for Rhode Iſland. *July* 28*th*, His Majeſty's Ship *Winchelſea*, on a Cruize; The Squerries, Mitchell, for Oporto; the Martha-Galley, Burn, for Liſbon; and the Prince of Orange, Williams, for Cowes.

Remain Wind-bound. The Kent, Bronſdon; the Anne, Eames; and the Hope, Lugen, for Briſtol; and the Squirrel, Ward, for Barbados.

Near loaded, or may ſail 'twixt this and our next. The Dunlap, Boyle, for Liſbon; the Briſbane, Patterſon, for Burrowſtoneſs; the Harriot, Hutchings, for Antigua; the Charming Sally, Taylor; and the Ranger, Evans, for N Providence; and the Dove, Drummond, for Georgia.

VESSELS *entered inwards, ſince our laſt.*

Brigt. Sally, John Davis, from Monſerrat.
Sloop Sarah, George Geary, from Bermuda.
Schooner Tryal, Robt. Jones, from Antigua.

Arrived, but not entered.

Ship Prince George, Benoni Smith, from Boſton.
Brigt. Concord, Simonaton, from Antigua.
A *Spaniſh* Brigt. from *Campeachy*, in great Diſtreſs.

Entered Outwards.

Brigt. Briſbane, Rob. Patterſon, for Burrowſtoneſs.
Brigt. Sally, John Davis, for Antigua.
Sloop Prince, Dan. Waldron, for Cowes.
Sloop Harriot, Tho. Hutchings, for Antigua.
Sloop Ranger, Jon. Evans, for Providence.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Friendſhip, Sam. Ball, to London.
Ship Kent, Benjamin Bronſdon, to Briſtol.
Ship Squerries, David Mitchell, to Oporto.
Ship Anne, Lawrence Eames, to Briſtol.
Ship Prince of Orange, Geo. Williams, to Cowes.
Brigantine London, Robt Young, to Liſbon.
Snow Hope, Wm Lugen, to Briſtol
Brigt. Squirrel, Henry Ward, to Barbados.
Brigt. Endeavour, Robt. Robins, to Rhode Iſland.
Schoone Endeavour, Jacob Loockerman, to Georgia
Sloop Jennings, Jeremiah Baſſett, to Antigua.
Sloop Benjamin, John Young, to Bermuda.

IMPORTED at CHARLES-TOWN,

Since the *firſt* Day of *November* laſt.

Negroes,	1568	Half Barrels,	100
Hhds. of Rum,	2609	Kegs,	244
Tierces,	93	Hhds. of Melaſſes,	68
Barrels,	25	Pipes of *Madera* Wine,	238
Hhds. of muſcovado & clay'd Sugars,	212	Half Pipes,	24
Tierces,	82	Pipes of *Fidelia* Wine,	5
Barrels,	699	Buſhels of Salt,	14,158
Tierces of Bisket	317	Barrels of *North ward* Beef,	519
Barrels,	928	Hhds. of Cyder,	5
Half Barrels,	20	And Barrels,	988
Kegs,	990		
Barrels of Flour,	3020		

EXPORTED from CHARLES-TOWN,

Since the 1*ſt* Day of *Nov.* laſt.

Barrels of Rice,	68,063	Hhds. of Skins,	407
Butts,	51	Tierces,	2
Puncheons,	22	Bundles,	129
Half Barrels,	3554	Looſe,	1128
lb. of Indico,	398,475	Sides of Leather,	2528
lb. of Pot-Aſh.	2,461	Buſhels of Corn	17 727
Barrels of Pitch,	3058	Of Peaſe,	6,868
Of Tar,	2711	Shingles,	522 420
Of Green Car,	1070	Staves,	109,890
Of Turpentine,	1195	Feet of Scantling, Plank and Boards,	202 316
Of Beef,	301		
Of Pork,	1293		

Of the RICE there have been ſhipp'd,

	Whole Barrels.	Half.
To *London*,	9,748	282
To *Cowes*,	11 330	912
To *Portſmouth*,	4.444	102
To *Briſtol*,	2 821	25
To *Poole*,	2,074	147
To *Dover*,	941	70
And to other Ports of *G. Britain*,	1,984	100
To the Southward of Cape *Finiſter*,	17,498	1151
To the *Weſt Indies*,	10,166	584
And to the *Northern* Colonies,	6,422	224

Laſt *PRICE CURRENT* at CHARLES-TOWN, of the following Goods.

By the Barrel.	By the Pound.
Rice, *per Ct.* 35 *ſ.*	Deer-Skins, 15 *ſ.*
Pitch, 40 *s.*	Beſt Indico, 25 *ſ.*
Tar, 32 *s.* 6	Infer. ——
Green ditto,	Tann'd Leather, 3 *ſ.*
Turpentine, 10 *s.*	By the Buſhel,
Pork, 10 *l.*	Corn, 15 *ſ.*
Beef, 6 *l.* 10	Peaſe, 12 *ſ.* 6

LANCE

LANCE & LOOCOCK

HAVE juſt imported in the *Succeſs*, Capt. *Thomſon*, from *Briſtol*, white, blue and green plains, ſtrip'd blue and red duffils, forreſt cloths, *Penniſton* ditto, half thicks, broad cloths, *German* ſerges, whitneys, white and ſtrip'd linſeys and flannels, iron pots, frying pans, 4, 6, 10 and 20 penny nails, which, with ſundry other articles, are to be ſold at their ſtore in *Broad-ſtreet*, on eaſy terms.

Alſo *Jamaica*, *Barbados*, and *New-York* rum, muſcovado ſugar, bar iron and train oil.

For LONDON directly,

The Ship *Succeſs*,

(A fine ſailing Veſſel)

William Thomſon Maſter.

(Will ſail in a Month)

WANTS only 250 Barrels of Rice to compleat her cargo, the reſt being engaged. For freight or paſſage, treat with *Tho. & Wm. Ellis.*

Middleton & Brailsford,

HAVE imported in the *Succeſs*, Capt. *Thomſon*, from *Briſtol*, white, blue and green plains, ſtrip'd duffils, and nails of all ſorts. Alſo in the laſt veſſels from *London*, an aſſortment of *European* and *Eaſt-India* goods, which, with *Weſt-India* and *Northward* rum, muſcovado ſugar, and flour, they will ſell on eaſy terms.

OGILVIE & WARD,

HAVE imported in the *Succeſs*, Capt. *Thomſon*, from *Briſtol*, white and coloured plains, ſtrouds, white and ſtrip'd linſeys and flannels, crates of yellow ware, bottled beer and cyder, boxes of window glaſs, nails, iron pots, &c. which, with variety of *European* goods, *Weſt-India* rum, muſcovado ſugar, bar iron, and train oil, are to be ſold by them on very reaſonable terms.

ALL Perſons indebted to *Chriſtopher Gadſden*, at his late ſtore at *Aſhley-Ferry*, are now publicly deſired to make payment by the firſt of *October* next at fartheſt, and as none can complain of the want of timely repeated private notices, they cannot take amiſs his reſolution of putting in ſuit all accompts then unpaid, without diſtinction.

SEVERAL THOUSAND POUNDS belonging to the three youngeſt children of *Daniel Huger*, Eſqr deceaſed, to be lett at intereſt. Inquire of *Peter Manigault.*

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue,

ON thurſday the 26th of *Auguſt* next; a tract of land on *John's-Iſland*, containing 1000 acres, butting and bounding on lands of Mr. *Solomon Legaré*, ſen. Alſo a ſtock of cattle and horſes, by *Thomas Hext.*

The conditions of the ſale will be made known on the ſaid day.

TO be ſold to the higheſt bidder, a plantation or tract of land containing about 300 acres, ſituate on the *Horſe-ſhoe Savannah* in *Pompon*, bounding on lands of the eſtate of *Calcbeth Gaſkell*, Mr. *Thomas Clifford*, and Mr. *Philip Evans*, on which is a dwelling houſe and out houſes. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe may inform themſelves of the quality of ſaid lands, and thereon treat with the ſubſcribers, on tueſday the 3d day of *Auguſt* next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. *Joſeph Andrew.*
James Andrew.

THE Subſcribers, for defraying the expence of repairing *Aſhepoo* bridge, have aſſeſſed the inhabitants and others poſſeſſed of ſlaves in the pariſh of St. *Bartholomew*, 19 ſhillings per head on male ſlaves, from the age of 16 to 60 years, the like ſum on all white male inhabitants; and they are requeſted to pay the ſame by the laſt of this month, to Doct. *John Cochran*, or the ſubſcribers, after which executions will be granted againſt defaulters.
Thomas Hutchinſon, *William Webb*,
William Miles.

A Gentleman lately arrived here, and deſirous of living retir'd, would be glad of a SCHOOL MASTER's Place in the Country. Inquire, for further Particulars, of the *Printer*.

THE owners of the following ſtrays may have them again, upon making proper application to the ſubſcriber, *viz.*

A black horſe near 14 hands high, with a ſtar in his face, and branded on the mounting buttock S, in cuſtody of *Thomas Cooper*.

A ſorrel horſe, 13 hands high, with a blaze in his face, and branded W, in cuſtody of *David Pamar*.

A dark brown horſe, 13 hands high with a ſtar in his face, and a ſhip, both hind feet white, branded on the ſhoulders I L, and on the buttock I, in cuſtody of *Philip Williams*.

And a white mare, 4 or 5 years old, in cuſtody of *Joſhua Griffin*. *John Pamar*, J. P.

ALL Perſons who have ſuſtained any loſs on the receipt of piſtoles and pieces of eight out of the treaſury, are hereby required to make their claims for being reimburſed ſuch loſs, to the public treaſurer, on or before the firſt day of *January* next, after which time they will be excluded from the ſame.

Alſo all perſons poſſeſſed of any of the 10*l.* and 5*l* orders, iſſued in the year 1742, are hereby required to bring the ſame to the public treaſurer to be exchanged, by the 1ſt day of *January* next, after which day none of the ſaid orders will be exchanged.

AS the Partnerſhip of *Rowands & Wells* diſſolves with this month, all perſons any ways indebted to the ſaid partnerſhip, to *Archibald Rowand*, or to me *Robert Wells*, are deſired to pay their reſpective debts forthwith to me, who have full power to receive the ſame; and it is not doubted, but any who are creditors of the ſaid parties will take ſufficient and early notice of this advertiſement. I take this opportunity of informing my friends, that I ſtill continue the ſame buſineſs as formerly in *Elliott ſtreet*. *May* 17, 1756.
ROBERT WELLS.

TO BE SOLD,

For Caſh, or GOOD Indico.

A Likely, handy Negro Boy, about 13 Years of Age. Inquire of the PRINTER.

CHARLES-TOWN, Printed by PETER TIMOTHY.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

Charles-Town, July 12, 1756.

AGREEABLE to the Directions of an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, *for regulating the Assize of* BREAD, I have enquired the Price of *FLOUR*, and find it to be at *Five Pounds* per *Hundred* Pounds Weight; at which Price the Half-Crown Loaves are to weigh as follows,

White 2 *lb.* 0 *oz.* Wheaten 3 *lb.* 0 *oz.*
Houshold 4 *lb.* 0 *oz.*

William Pinckney, Commissary-General.

THE Creditors of Col. *Joseph Edwards* of *Pon Pon* in this place deceased, are hereby desired to send in their demands to the subscribers by the 14th of *August* next, particularly mentioning whether the same be by bond, note or otherwise, in order that they may be enabled to make a just estimate, how far the estate will extend towards their satisfaction: And it is requested that no person will neglect so to do by the time abovementioned, as a true state of his affairs is absolutely necessary to the making a speedy settlement.

Nath. Barnwell, John Barnwell,
Beaufort, July 20 1756 *John Chapman.*

LATELY imported in the Sloop *Pilgrim*, and to be sold very cheap for ready money by *John Nash*, at his store on Col. *Beale's* wharf, good *New England* and *West India* rum by the hogshead or quarter casks; cyder, oil, riding chairs, two riding horses, cart wheels, desks, cart and chaise boxes, pots, kettles, chimney-cogs, &c.

STRAY'D into a Plantation on *Ashley river*, a black horse, about 13 hands and an half high, branded on the mounting shoulder I, on the mounting buttock LR in one, and on the off shoulder OM. The owner of the said horse must prove his property before *Alexander Stewart*, J.P.

STRAY'D or STOLEN

OUT of Mr. *Price's* pasture in *Charles Town*, the 5th of *June* last, a bay horse, branded S N. Whoever brings him to me, shall have 40 shillings reward. *Alexander Shippard.*

STRAY'd from *Dorchester* Green, about 3 months since, a bay horse, about 14 hands high, with a snip in his forehead, brandedon his mounting shoulder I Pr Whoever delivers him to Mrs. *Mary Scanlan* at *Dorchester*, shall receive a reward of 3 pounds.

STOLEN from off *Beresford's* wharf, a small canow, painted within and without with oil, all to her bearings which was blue: Any person that will give intelligence of the person or persons that took her away, shall have a reward of 3 *l.* and whoever delivers her to the subscribers on said wharf, shall receive 40 *s.* reward.

Milner & Leger.

A Stray'd grey horse, about 13 hands high, brands on the near buttock q T G, the q T in one; and a pied dun heifer, about a year old, without ear mark or brand Any person claiming either of them, may apply to *Peter Taylor.*

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of *Benjamin Whitaker*, Esq; deceased, and to *William George Freeman*, Esq; are requested forthwith to discharge their several debts. —— The like notice is hereby given, to those who remain indebted to the assignees of *John Crokatt*, and the executors of *Hugh Cartwright*. JOHN MITTRAY.

STRAY'D or STOLEN

FROM the plantation of *John Cattell*, Esq; near *Ashley River*, about 3 months since, 2 horses, each about 14 hands high, one branded on the shoulder *JH* in one; has 4 white feet and a star in his forehead: The other has a very round back, with many saddle spots thereon, a short dock, and paces slow, his brand unknown. Whoever takes up the said horses, and delivers them to either *John Cattell*, Esq; *Mr. William Branford*, or the subscriber, shall receive 40 *s.* reward for each.

Thomas Hutchefon.

STRAY'D into a pasture on *Charles-Town* neck, viz. A black and white cow, branded on the near buttock GG, with a little bit cut out of each ear. A black and white steer, branded on the off buttock R, with a piece cut out of each ear, and slits in them. The owners must apply to and prove their property before *Wm. Hopton*, J.P.

RUN AWAY the 11th Day of *June* last, from *George Waller* of *George Town* bricklayer, an apprentice boy named *James Smallwood*, supposed to be gone towards *Port Royal*. Whoever harbours or conceals the said boy, shall be prosecuted according to law: But if the said boy will return to his masters service, he may depend upon a kind reception. *George Waller.*

THE subscriber intending to leave off store keeping, will sell what goods he has now remaining on hand, at NINE for ONE cash, or at a reasonable advance if credit is required (to the first of *January* next), at which time he intends to quit the Dry-Good business and settle all outstanding accompts.

He therefore desires every one indebted to him, either by bond, note, or book-debt, to discharge the same by the aforementioned time; and those to whom he is indebted, to send in their accompts in order to receive payment.

THOMAS EVANCE.

THE Subscriber gives this public notice, that she hath since her husband's decease carried on, and still continues to carry on the business of soap boiling and tallow chandling, therefore begs the favour of those who were her husband's customers to continue to deal with her: She also desires those who are any ways indebted to her husband's estate, to discharge their respective debts by the 20th of *September* next, and those to whom the said estate is indebted, to bring in their accompts properly attested, to *Hester Powers*, Executrix.

To be Lett,

THE brick Tenement in the Corner of *Broad-Street* wherein Mr. *Francis Brouard* kept Store. Also, the brick Tenement on the Bay, wherein Mr. *Vanderdora* kept Store: Both extremely well situated for Trade. For further particulars inquire of

DAVID DEAS.

STOLEN or STRAY'D

FROM my plantation on *John's Island*, the 25th of *April*, 1756. A bay horse, about 15 hands high, paces, branded on the off shoulder This mare. Whoever delivers him to me, shall have 3 pounds reward. *Alexander Hunt.*

WEST-INDIA, New-York, and *New-England* rum by the hogshead or quarter casks, and proof aged good *Madera* wine in quarter casks, chocolate by the box, very good *Bohea* by the barrel, and tobacco by the hogshead, half hogshead, or barrel of about 130 lb. to be sold at very low prices by *Price & Parker.*

A Young Man, well recommended, who has ſerved *Four* Years as Clerk to an Attorney, would be glad to ſerve as a Clerk here, upon reaſonable terms, or of any reputable employment. Enquire of the Printer.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue,

ON *Thurſday* the 12th of *Auguſt* next, at the uſual place in *Charles-Town*; one half of the iſland marſh over againſt the ſaid town, commonly called *Shute's* Delight.

A lot on *Trott's* point, oppoſite the houſe Mr. *Seaman* lives in, pleaſantly ſituated on the top of the hill and on 3 ſtreets: 35 feet on each the North and South ſtreets, and 150 feet in length on a ſtreet to the Weſtward.

One other lot of the ſame dimenſions a little farther to the Eaſtward, now occupied by Mr. *Seaman*, fronting North and South on the ſame ſtreets, fenced and hath a good brick well with very good water in it, &c.

Alſo a tract of 180 acres of valuable land on *Hobcaw*, in ſight of the town, ſome of which is good for indico and corn, and a conſiderable quantity of fine yellow pine thereon for ſawing or ſhips maſts: it has ſeveral good landings on the North ſide, up a creek that runs between it and the tract lately poſſeſſed by *Lynch*, now the property of Mr. *John Roſe*: All which are to be ſold upon mortgage by

Wells & Bayne.

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS to be lett at intereſt by the *South Carolina* Society. Apply to *Samuel Prioleau*, Clerk.

TO BE SOLD

BY the ſubſcriber, at his ſtore in *Tradd ſtreet*, next door to Mr. *Dart's*, *Briſtol* blue plaiſts, ſingle refined loaf ſugar, bottled cyder and ale in hampers, *Barbados* and *St. Kitt's* rum in hogſheads and quarter caſks, fine muſcovado ſugar in barrels, and a parcel of choice *New-York* ſhip bread and flour.

JOSIAH SMITH, *jun.*

CAME in the *Friendſhip*, Capt *Ball*, from *London*, a large vat mark'd GW. N°. 1. Whoever owns the ſame may apply to

INGLIS & PICKERING.

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS to be lett at Intereſt by the, Veſtry of the Pariſh of *St. Thomas* in *Berkley* County.

Beresford's Wharf,

TO be lett, and entered upon the 10th day of *Auguſt* next, either with or without 2 negroes, together with 7 very good ſtores, and under each an airy dry cellar, floored, in which is a drain with a trunk leading into the dock. Whoever is inclinable to rent the above premiſes, may apply to

Richard Beresford.

THE Members of the CHARLES-TOWN *LIBRARY SOCIETY*, are deſired to meet, at the Houſe of Mr. *John Gream* in *Charles-Town*, on *Wedneſday* the *Eleventh* Day of *Auguſt* next, at *Three* o'Clock in the Afternoon, to make conditions, and eſtabliſh, ſuch neceſſary BYE-LAWS and Ordains, as may be convenient for the Well-Ordering their Corporation.

By Order of the Preſident

JOHN REMINGTON, *Secretary.*

FIFTEEN HUNDRED POUNDS to be lent at intereſt, on good perſonal ſecurity. Enquire of the printer.

WHOEVER has taken by Miſtake a package which came in the *Friendſhip*, Capt. *Ball*, from *London*, mark'd I T. N°. 3, is deſired to acquaint meſſrs. *Inglis & Pickering* where it may be had.

STRAY'D or ſtolen from the ſubſcriber's, living on *Cannon's* creek in the fork of Broad river, 40 miles above the Congaree's, a black ſtallion never yet docked, about 14 hands high, thick and well made, with a white ſtar in his forehead, a ſnip on his noſe, and a ſmall white ſtroke on his under jaw, occaſioned by a halter; branded on the near ſhoulder F, and on the near buttock B, and is 8 years old: Alſo a ſorrel gelding, 4 years old, and about 15 hands high, a natural pacer, with a ſmall white ſpot on the middle of his noſe, his mane hanging on the near ſide, and a middling ſhort tail; branded as the ſtallion: Alſo a ſorrel mare, 9 years old, thick and well made, and very tall; with a ſhort ſwitch tail, a white blaze down her face, and white feet, and paces in hand: branded on the near ſhoulder F, and on the buttock B, with a pot hook thro' the upper part of the B: And a ſpring ſorrel mare colt, unbranded. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſtrays, and gives me notice where they may be got again, ſhall have *two piſtoles* reward for each.

Rodolph Buſſard.

RUN away from the Subſcriber's plantation in *St. Andrew's* pariſh the 6th inſtant, a negro man named *Cudjo*, branded on his right breaſt POYAS, formerly the property of *Thomas Rivers* on James Iſland, and is ſuppoſed to be harboured there. Whoever delivers him to the warden of the work houſe, or to Mr. James Poyas, ſhall have a reward of 5 l. And whoever harbours or entertains him, ſhall be proſecuted with the utmoſt rigour, by

John Ernſt Poyas.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of *James Boſwood* ſen. late of *St. Paul's* pariſh, deceaſed, are deſired to pay the ſame forthwith; and thoſe who have demands on the the ſaid eſtate to bring them in properly atteſted, to *Martha Boſwood*, Ex.

TO BE SOLD, together or in Parcels,

AS the purchaſers agree, an exceeding good tract of land at *Conſawhatchee*, near Capt. *Macpherſon's*, containing about 2000 acres. For farther information, inquire of the printer.

Macartan & Campbell,

CONTINUE to ſell all ſorts of INDIAN TRADING and other GOODS, uſually imported into this province: They take in payment DEER and BEAVER SKINS, RICE, *Georgia* CURRENCY, *&c.* and will purchaſe any quantity of DEER and BEAVER SKINS with caſh.

BROUGHT to the Work-Houſe

July 16th. Tony, a negro fellow belonging to *Peter Rampb* of *Pompon*; has on white negro cloth jacket and breeches; taken up at the *Quarter Houſe*.

July 17th. A negro fellow named *Will*, belonging to *Wm. Bridge* of *Pompon*; has on white negro cloth jacket and breeches, and was taken up at *Pompon*.

July 18th. A young new negro fellow, ſtark naked, only an old rag about his middle; has a ſort of brand under his right and left breaſt thus C D, and marked on each of his cheeks; taken up at *Beach Hill*.

July 19th. A ſhort well ſet negro fellow, named *Pero*, belonging to *Michael Germain* of *Georgia*; has on a pair of old blue breeches, and a brown coat; taken up at *Combahee*.

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